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amendment will address.

SENATOR CUDABACK: You may continue if you wish, Senator Preister. Your light is next, if you wish to continue.

SENATOR PREISTER: Thank you, Senator. I think that what I will do is conclude on the committee amendments. And I will probably speak one more time when we vote on the committee amendments and on my bill, and then that will be the end. I thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Preister. Senator Engel on the committee amendments to LB 444.

SENATOR ENGEL: Chairman, members of the body, I certainly admire Senator Preister's tenacity. I know ever since I've been down here he's had a territorial bill of some sort. And we certainly spent a lot of time discussing this on and off the floor. And I believe that he's come up with a bill that I think is palatable to everybody. And I would yield any of my time back to him so he can continue the recap, because I love history, and he's been going over some historical documents, and I'd like to...you know, to just to refresh my mind. Thank you very much. If you'd like the time, it's yours.

SENATOR CUDABACK: If you wish, you have about four and half minutes, Senator Preister.

SENATOR PREISTER: Thank you, honorable president. And thank you, Senator Engel. You know, the one thing that I'm going to miss when we pass this bill is our interchanges. We have had some good interchanges over this, you as an insurance agent and me as a consumer advocate. And that part...we'll have to find another area of auto insurance that we can discuss after this. I do appreciate your time. I appreciate you as well as the industry working with me on the issue. And at this time, I will return the time to you if you would like the rest of it. And I will wait until we get to the bill to make a further comment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Engel, about four minutes.

SENATOR ENGEL: Turn the rest of my time to the floor. Thank